

BILL SUMMARY
1st Session of the 54th Legislature

Bill No.:	HB 1021
Version:	Introduced
Request Number:	5036
Author:	Rep. Ritze
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Impact:	Dept. of Corrections cost: \$46/day dependent on number of convictions

Research Analysis

HB 1021, as introduced, declares the “Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act” and the “Health Care and Education Reconciliation Act of 2010” unconstitutional and invalid in Oklahoma. The Legislature will adopt and enact measures as necessary to prevent the enforcement of these acts. Any attempt to enforce the aforementioned acts by an official, agent, employee, or employee of a corporation will be guilty of a felony and subject to a fine not to exceed \$5,000 or imprisonment up to 5 years or both. Additionally, any attempt to enforce the aforementioned acts by a public office or employee of the State will be guilty of a misdemeanor and subject to a fine not to exceed \$1,000 or imprisonment up to 2 years or both. Finally, the measure provides that an aggrieved party has the right to bring litigation against an individual in violation of this act.

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Fiscal Analysis

Section 2 Subsection C creates a felony with imprisonment up to 5 years. The average cost of incarceration in a state facility is approximately \$46 per day. The fiscal impact on the Department of Corrections would be dependent upon the number of adjudicated cases and the length of the prison term imposed.

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Other Considerations

None at this time